

MDES
Increasing Employment in Mississippi

Top 25 Occupations by Average Annual Wage
Delta WIA
May 2005 Panel

	SOC Code	SOC Title	Employment (1)	Average Hourly	Average Annual	Entry Hourly	Entry Annual	Experienced Hourly	Experienced Annual
1	29-1062	Family and General Practitioners	N/A	\$77.75	\$161,730	\$53.80	\$111,900	\$89.73	\$186,640
2	11-1011	Chief Executives	410	\$51.93	\$108,020	\$25.43	\$52,890	\$65.18	\$135,580
3	29-1051	Pharmacists	180	\$42.44	\$88,280	\$29.47	\$61,310	\$48.92	\$101,760
4	23-1011	Lawyers	250	\$37.16	\$77,300	\$12.16	\$25,290	\$49.67	\$103,310
5	11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	30	\$36.93	\$76,810	\$24.25	\$50,440	\$43.26	\$89,990
6	29-1122	Occupational Therapists	30	\$36.87	\$76,700	\$28.15	\$58,560	\$41.23	\$85,760
7	29-1123	Physical Therapists	80	\$34.88	\$72,540	\$23.24	\$48,330	\$40.70	\$84,650
8	11-9199	Managers, All Other	30	\$34.75	\$72,290	\$14.51	\$30,190	\$44.87	\$93,340
9	19-1023	Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists	30	\$34.08	\$70,880	\$26.81	\$55,760	\$37.71	\$78,440
10	11-9041	Engineering Managers	50	\$33.99	\$70,710	\$24.25	\$50,450	\$38.86	\$80,830
11	11-1021	General and Operations Managers	1,200	\$33.74	\$70,190	\$16.48	\$34,270	\$42.38	\$88,150
12	11-9071	Gaming Managers	70	\$32.93	\$68,490	\$22.00	\$45,750	\$38.39	\$79,850
13	11-9033	Education Administrators, Postsecondary	120	\$31.89	\$66,340	\$20.81	\$43,290	\$37.43	\$77,860
14	17-2071	Electrical Engineers	20	\$31.87	\$66,300	\$19.06	\$39,650	\$38.28	\$79,620
15	17-3012	Electrical and Electronics Drafters	N/A	\$30.81	\$64,080	\$29.00	\$60,320	\$31.71	\$65,960
16	11-9032	Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary School	190	N/A	\$63,880	N/A	\$50,310	N/A	\$70,670
17	53-5021	Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels	100	\$30.69	\$63,830	\$20.27	\$42,160	\$35.90	\$74,670
18	19-1029	Biological Scientists, All Other	30	\$30.01	\$62,430	\$12.93	\$26,880	\$38.56	\$80,200
19	11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	180	\$29.94	\$62,280	\$20.28	\$42,180	\$34.77	\$72,330
20	17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	50	\$29.83	\$62,060	\$22.69	\$47,190	\$33.41	\$69,490
21	11-2021	Marketing Managers	70	\$28.82	\$59,950	\$16.62	\$34,580	\$34.92	\$72,630
22	11-2022	Sales Managers	150	\$28.40	\$59,070	\$17.96	\$37,360	\$33.62	\$69,930
23	11-3051	Industrial Production Managers	130	\$28.31	\$58,890	\$19.22	\$39,980	\$32.86	\$68,350
24	11-3041	Compensation and Benefits Managers	40	\$27.54	\$57,280	\$18.71	\$38,920	\$31.96	\$66,470
25	11-3042	Training and Development Managers	30	\$27.45	\$57,090	\$18.92	\$39,360	\$31.71	\$65,950

Footnotes for May 2005 Occupational Employment and Wage estimates

(1) = Estimates for detailed occupations do not sum to the totals because the totals include occupations not shown separately. Estimates do not include self-employed workers.

(N/A) = Estimates not available.

SOC = Standard Occupational Classification